IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

NCR Corporation Docket No. 10994

In re application of: DURRANT, D. J. et al.

Serial No. 09/541,137 Filed: March 31, 2000

For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR IDENTIFYING MANUFACTURING ANOMALIES

IN A MANUFACTURING SYSTEM

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents

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RESPONSE

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 3, 2003, kindly enter the following reply.

No changes to the claims are presented in this reply. However, a listing of the claims in their present state is provided immediately below for the convenience of the Examiner.

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